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## A Bold Step.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them remedies of known composition. By this bold step Dr. Pierce has shown that the formulas are of such excellence that he is not afraid to subject them to the closest scrutiny. Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, his famous medicine for weak stomach, biliousness and all catarrhal diseases, whether located in the stomach, liver, lungs, kidneys, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing in the strongest possible terms, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral agents or other poisonous or injurious agents, and that they are made from native medicinal roots of great value, and that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines are the "Squaw-Root," "Squaw-Will," "Squaw-Seed." Our knowledge of the uses of a few of our most valuable native medicinal plants was gained from the Indians. As made up by improved and exact processes, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, as prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health. Sold by all dealers in medicines.

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## PROPOSALS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE of the Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., August 16, 1907. Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock p. m. on the 10th day of September, 1907, and then opened, for an electric passenger elevator in the U. S. Post Office Custom House at Alexandria, Virginia, in accordance with drawing and specification, copies of which may be obtained at this office, at the discretion of the Supervising Architect, JAMES KNOX TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.



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## ALEXANDRIA HAS MANY FINE SCHOOLS.

The Richmond Times-Dispatch of Sunday contains an illustrated article on the schools of Alexandria county, with an excellent picture of the Superintendent, Mr. James E. Clements, and of the very handsome school buildings that have been erected under his direction. It says: Pictures of seven of the beautiful and commodious public school houses of Alexandria county appear in The Times-Dispatch today. Perhaps there are none finer in the State.

These public schoolhouses have all been constructed under the vigorous and untiring leadership of Superintendent James E. Clements, who has taken special pride in developing the school system in his county and making it as near perfect as may be, and by giving the people attractive schoolhouses, he has added greatly to the general progress and prosperity of Alexandria county.

The Columbia school building, with rooms for six teachers, was erected at a cost of \$12,000.

The Hume school building (named for the lamented Frank Hume, one of the most public-spirited citizens of the county), cost \$8,000.

The Mount Vernon Avenue school building, with rooms for four teachers, cost \$7,000, and an addition is now being constructed and the building, when completed, will have six rooms for teachers and a large concert hall, costing altogether some \$13,000.

The Ballston school building, with rooms for four teachers, cost \$8,000. An addition is contemplated to this building to accommodate two more teachers, or 50 scholars each.

The Saegmuller school building cost \$3,500.

The Carney school building cost \$3,000.

The Glenclaryn school building cost \$3,000.

Each schoolhouse is provided with a fine piano, purchased, not from public funds, but from the proceeds of concerts given by the teachers and pupils, at the suggestion of Superintendent James E. Clements. Each of the schoolhouses is surrounded by an acre or more of land as a playground, and is located on a high and healthy site. Besides these, Superintendent Clements contemplates in the near future erecting three new schoolhouses, one at Cherry Dale, to cost \$6,000; one near the courthouse at Fort Myer, to cost \$10,000, and one at Clarendon, to cost \$5,000.

In addition to this great work, the public school system of Alexandria county is so well developed and under such excellent business and financial management that the schools are kept open for the full term of nine months during each year, and the teachers are paid from \$30 to \$60 per month.

The marvelous development and growth in Alexandria county during the last few years has been attributed, and justly so, to the splendid public school system and beautiful modern school buildings, that have attracted capital to its borders, until now the county can boast of more than half a million dollars of improvement every year, and her prosperity is rapidly growing. People in Washington and elsewhere are reaching out to her green hills and fertile lands for homes outside the bustle and stir of the city, and the time is not far distant when her wealth will be multiplied many fold.

Superintendent James E. Clements has done more to bring about this prosperous condition in Alexandria county than any other one man, and he believes the foundation of all progress is an intelligent, moral and well-educated community, and with that end constantly in view, he has forged ahead with untiring zeal and energy, to build up these schools and make them attractive for the credit and uplifting of his people, and through them to promote every material interest of his country and section.

As a further evidence of the educational development in Alexandria county it will be noted that the exhibits from her public schools at Jamestown are attracting great and deserved attention. They are shown in three large cases and the following list of exhibits will give some idea of the character of the work done in these schools:

Cabinet 31—Primary language, drawing, painting, paper-cutting, color work, silhouettes. Second, third and fourth grades, work in languages, arithmetic, historical compositions, local history, etc.

Cabinet 32—Paper-weaving, parquetry. Pictures of school buildings, old and new. Drawing, painting, paper-cutting, nature study, primary work. High school work, geography, grammar, literature. Advanced arithmetic, algebra, business correspondence forms, and bookkeeping.

Cabinet 33—Painting, drawing, black and white work, historical scenes, with compositions. Advanced drawing. Letter-writing. Map of the county. Work of the commercial department. Writing exercises in music, compositions based on English and American history. Historical compositions, illustrated.

Boxes of cabinets. Illustrated pamphlets of school work. On the wall. Old school building. Pictures of seven school buildings (1897) of the most improved modern type, for graded schools.

The rest of the State can well emulate the splendid example set by Superintendent Clements in Alexandria county, and Virginia's entire school system would then soon become the best and most effective in the country.

Mr. Clements says with confidence that the increase of population in his county by reason of people coming from other States and cities and buying homes there on an average of about 50 a year, and following said increase of population the increase in improvement of the county, is guaranteed by those who come from a distance, is now at the rate of a half million dollars or over a year.

Neighbors Got Fooled.

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive; but they got fooled, for thanks to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to cure me of the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Unapaher, of Grovetown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of coughs and cold cures, and cures all lung troubles, is guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, \$5.00 and \$10.00. Trial bottle free.

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Remedy for Diarrhoea. Never Known to Fail.

"I want to say a few words for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used this preparation in my family for the past five years and have recommended it to a number of people in York county and have never known it to fail to effect a cure in any instance. I feel that I can not say too much for the best remedy of the kind in the world."—S. JEMISON, Spring Grove York county, Pa. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my Pink Pain Tablets can do, I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are all alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets soothe the pain by coating away the unnatural blood pressure. That is all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

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U. S. Bonds . . . . .	152,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds . . . . .	3,000.00
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Cash and Reserve . . . . .	184,353.25
5 per cent. Redemption Fund . . . . .	5,000.00
	\$1,089,504.27

## Liabilities.

Capital . . . . .	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits . . . . .	173,839.38
Circulation . . . . .	100,000.00
Deposits . . . . .	662,554.22
U. S. Deposits . . . . .	50,953.52
Other Liabilities . . . . .	2,157.15
	\$1,089,504.27

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15c Goods reduced to..... 12c and 10c

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Long Silk Gloves reduced from \$1.25 to..... 75c  
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Job lot of exceptionally good quality, worth \$1.25, at..... 80c  
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